Questions for

If you were offered sure aid in time of trouble would you put it aside and accept something of doubtful

If you saw before you a strong and safe bridge leading to your goal, would you ignore it to try some insecure and tottering structure?

The answer to these questions is plain. You would, of course, choose without hesitation what all evidence showed to be the safe thing, and you would risk nothing in useless experi-

Why, then, do some women risk one of their most precious possessions—their health—in trying medicines of unknown value, which may even prove

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound has stood the test of years. It has the largest sale of any remedy for female ills in the world, and nothing could have given it this sale except its

Do not try any experiments, but buy what is known to be reliable. Mrs. Pinkham's Compound can do all that is claimed for it, and all statements in regard to it can be easily verified. Write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for a little book she has just published containing letters from the mayor of Lynn, the postmaster and others.

Mrs. Pinkham's advice is offered free of charge to all women who write to her for aid. This invitation is constantly renewed. A million women have been cured of serious female ills by Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine

Three Letters from One Woman, Showing How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Falling of the Wemb:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-I see your advertisement in the papers in regard to treating woman's diseases, and would be grateful to you for your ad-vice in my case. I am suffering from falling of womb, have pains in my sides and legs, in fact I ache all over. I am getting so weak I cannot stand on my feet much. I have the headache sometimes, and a choking, tight feeling in my breast and throat. Have a baby seven months old. I hope to hear from you soon, as I am in so much distress."—Mrs. J. R. COMPTON, Eggbornsville, Va., May 16, 1898.

"DEAR MES. PINKHAM-I followed your advice and I am now on the second bottle of your Vegetable Com-pound and I think it is going to cure me. If it does I will ever praise it, for I am, and have been, a great sufferer; but now I live in hopes of getting well."—Mrs. J. R. Compton, Eggbornsville, Va., July 12, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-Again I write to you. When I first wrote to you for advice in regard to my troubles I thought I could never get well again. After receiving your letter I followed your advice exactly, and thanks to you, I am cured of that dreadful disease. I cannot find words to express the good your medicine will do. It is really more than was recom-mended to me."-Mas. J. R. Compron, Eggbornsville, Va., April 12, 1899.

Two Women Cured of Irregularity, Falling of the Uterus and Ovarian Trouble.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM -- I have female weakness. Menstruation irregular, and I suffer bearing-down pains in left side and hip. My doctor said I had womb trouble and enlargement of the ovaries. I have doctored two months, but see no improvement."
-MISS MARY E. REED, Swan Creek,

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-Your good advice has been worth more than all I ever received from a doctor. Words cannot express my gratitude to you for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Aftertwelve years' suffering I am stout and healthy."—Miss Mary E. REED, Swan Creek, Ill., April 28, 1899.

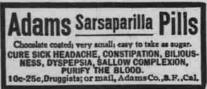
"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM - I suffer female troubles. My doctor wishes my ovaries taken out, but I shall never consent. Menstruction is irregular and my head has a tired feeling. Hospital treatment does me no good I have five children and am forty-four years old. Please advise what medi-eine to take."—Mrs. E. H. Sonders, 437 N. 40th St., Philadelphia, Pa., September 27, 1898.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-I followed the advice you gave me and your medi-cine has cured me. I felt better when I had taken the Vegetable Compound but a week."-Mrs. E. H. SONDERS, Philadelphia, Pa., February 6, 1899.

Another Case of Nervous Prostration and Inflammation of the Bladder Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-I have used your Vegetable Compound for female weakness and it has done wonders for me. I also had nervous prostrationwas not able to look after my housework. After taking one bottle I began to improve, and am now better in every way and feel like a different person." MRS. DELLA KEISER, Marionville, Pa., February 22, 1899.

"DEAR MRS. PINEHAM-I cannot praise your Vegetable Compound enough for the good it has done me. suffered from influmnation of the bladder. I tried doctors but obtained no relief. At last I decideed to write to you and now thanks to your rme-dies I am entirely cured."—Mrs. K. S. Grady 131 Union St. High Bridge New York City, April 11, 1899.



DR. GUNN'S LIVER PILLS ONE FOR A DOSE. Cure Sick Headache and Dyspepala, Remove Pimples, Purify the Blood. Aid Digestion, Frevent Billousness. Do not Gripe or Sicken. To



NEW YORK'S WATER.

Some Figures that Will Amaze by Their Enormous Size.

In 1882 the storage capacity from Croton dam (Croton lake and reservoir). the natural ponds of the system, and the old reservoirs was 9,500,000,000 gallons. Croton lake holding in reserve but half a billion of this.

Bob brook, Titieus, Carmel and Amawalk, hold for future needs at any hour 32,000,000,000 gallons more. The storage reservoir in Central Park has in reserve over a billion, and Bronx system reservoirs 3,500,000,000 more stored up, not against a rainy day, but against a succession of dry ones,

The new Croton dam, the Cornell dam, as it is officially called, will store marvelously in addition. A stone wall 294 feet high closes one end of a narrow valley. The water will come against this and back up the valley, submerging lowland after lowland into one gigantic lake, ingulfing old Croton lake, covering over the old dam.

All the rivers of the Croton system the new aqueducts will be its outlets. It will "back water" up among the hills sixteen miles from its dam, wiping out the sites of three old villages, and will increase the storage capacity two-thirds, bringing it to 70,000,000,000 gallons, adding itself 30,000,000,000.

With these resources and these greatly increased opportunities of storing up a huge reserve of water against evil times of drought, it may be an occasion of surprise that the near future will scale than ever before.

The explanation is to be found in a of New York for water have increased 000,000 gallons. The hour when New York will call for 300,000,000 gallons a day is near at hand; in fact, it is said It will be reached in a year or a little more.-Munsey's.

HIS JUDGMENT WAS WRONG.

Hound that Tried to Whip All the Dogs in the Neighborhood.

Sooner was a walf, or, more correctly speaking, a soldier of fortune. No one knew his antecedents. He had dragged himself into Hogarth's yard one day, worn out and exhausted after a long run on the trail of a buck. There. was no telling how far he had come, as a fast hound will cover many miles in a day, and keep it up for two or three days. But he had driven the buck into the lake, and the Hogarth boys had killed it; therefore they treated the dog well, and as he liked the place he remained and became one of the house-

The time Sooner discovered he had fighting blood in his veins marked an epoch in his life. He overestimated his steerable balloon. ability, it is true, and suffered in consequence. A new settler moved into that part of the country and establishes himself about six or seven miles from Hogarth's. Regarding the size of his family, he was far behind Hogarth, but when it came to dogs it was simply a walkaway. Several breeds were represented in his collection, but the "yaller dog" predominated.

Sooner undertook to clean out the entire crowd alone and unaided. It was something of an undertaking, and he spent six out of seven days in the hospital while the war was on.

"He doesn't seem to be much of a day when the subject was under discussion.

"Oh, he kin fight all right," Hogarth replied; "it's his jedgment what's wrong. Sooner's a fust-rate fighter, but he's a dern poor jedge of dorgs." He was game though, and stuck at it until he had conquered each one of the new dogs in turn, with the exception of a huge brindle bulldog. With this dog he employed strategy. He bowed down before him and addressed him with smooth words and made friends with him, and then one day he all the dogs there pitched on the brindle bull and half killed him. Sooner became more blase than ever after this | high, which suit wins?" achievement. It so plainly showed his superiority to all the rest of dog crea-

This fighting trait was unusual in a ably inclined. It served to accentuate she was a very brave woman. But

A Memory of School Days. Sometimes a feller's mind goes on an es-

capade that's wild And frisks back o'er the years when he was nothin' mor'n a child; The days when with his spellin' book

McGuffy drove one sick, An' White gave bitter doses in his thirdpart 'rithmetic. When dusk and dew's a fallin' and the

work that filled the day I'm restin' from, my memory jes' travels back that way,

An' lingers longest with a vision time can ne'er destroy-The freckle-faced divinity I worshiped when a boy.

Her face was pure, each feature stamped with innocence, for sooth, yet t' call her pretty would be

stretchin' of the truth; Though I dreamed all night full often of her cheeks, sun-tanned and brown, Her starched-stiff ping sunbon et and her ruffled gingham gown.

The little girls of these days never have such pansy eyes, An' lips have lost the way t' frame such soft an' sweet replies As those I heard when rambling with, in

happy-hearted joy. The freckled-faced divinity I worshiped when a boy.

I plucked the first wild roses of the spring for her to wear, An' helped to braid the blossoms of the orchard in her hair; I stood her knight an' servitor through

boyhood days the span held her in my heart until I'd grown to be a manf. But here's a truce to memory, since late

Upstairs to bed I softly steal, to dreams and sweet repose,

kiss my wife good-night, she who has been life's dearest joy, The freckle-faced divinity I worshiped

-Detroit Free Press. Man's inhumanity to man enables the policeman to draw his salary.

Scrofula

This root of many evils-

Glandular tumors, abscesses, pimples and other cutaneous eruptions, sore ears, inflamed eyelids, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, readiness to catch cold Now four new reservoirs, Sodom and and inability to get rid of it easily, paleness, nervousness and other ailments including the consumptive tendency-

> removed, no matter how young or old the sufferer. Hood's Sarsaparilla was given the daughter of Silas Vernooy, Wawarsing, N. Y., who had

Can be completely and permanently

broken out with scrofula sores all over her face and head. The first bottle helped her and when she had taken six the sores were all healed and her face was smooth. He writes that she has never shown any sign of the scrofula returning.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Promises to cure and keeps the will flow into it, and both the old and promise. Ask your druggist for it letter: today and accept no substitute.

A Famous London Tavern. The Mermaid was the name of a fa- today. I could feel the good effects of mous London tavern frequented by your medicine before I had used it a noted literary men and actors during week, after suffering with catarrh for the reign of Queen Elizabeth. All the over a year." Respectfully, wit and talent of the time assembled there for convivial enjoyment. Authors have made it the scene of great mind combats between such men as Shakespeare, Ben Jonson, Beaumont, certainly need additions on a larger Fletcher, Selden, Carew, Donne and ascribed to Sir Walter Raleigh. The beyond all anticipation and calculation. Mermaid tavern was located in Bread protect them from disease. The dis-In 1890 the city was using 160,000,000 street and was handily reached from a day; in the winter of 1899-1900 it three thoroughfares, so that it has been used, according to official records, 255,- often referred to in various ways. The Mermald in Bread street, the Mermald in Friday street and the Mermaid in Cheap street were, however, all one and the same. It was the nearest to Bread street. The Mermaid was destroyed in the great London fire. There were other Mermald taverns, one in Cheapside and another in Cornbill, but they had no such associations as clung to that of Bread street.

> Carter's Ink is just as cheap as poor Ink and is the best Ink made. Always use Carter's

> Age may not be garrulous, but there is no denying the fact that it tells on both men and women.—Exchange.

A Family Medicine Chests Ninety-nine cases of a hundred. Cascarets andy Catharite will cure the altments of the amily. The hundredth time call the doctor. Druggists, 19c. 25c, 56c.

Not a Success

Paris,—Firmin-Bousson demonstra-ed at Rosny Sur Bois that his "Auto" Aviator" requires important improve-ments before it can be classed as a

The Best Prescription for Malaria. Chills and fever is a bottle of Grove's tastess Chil Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine of the vice presidents. in a tasteless form. No cure-no pay, Price 5oc

Mothers will find Mrs. Winclow's soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething

I do not believe a Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—John F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

Two Straight Flushes.

I played poker for 12 years and nevfighter," I remarked to Hogarth one er saw a straight flush. A few nights ago a woman in a millionaires' row palace held one and, disdaining the small pile of cash on the table, called for her check book. Everybody except an old bachelor who had learned and prevailed upon a prominent surthe game in the Union club laid down. He, scorning to take advantage of a weak woman, said:

"Mrs. B., let me advise you to be eareful. I shall see you for any amount and raise you. The limit is off, I suppose?"

She said it was and cast a check for \$500 in the pot.

"Before I see that may I ask a quesenticed him over to his own home, and tion?" he said to the assembled players. "I want to know this-in case there are two straight flushes, each ace

"Diamonds," was the unanimous re-

He handed to Mrs. B. her check and, laying down a ten, jack, queen, king hound, for as a rule they are peace- and ace of diamonds, remarked that the fact that Sooner was not like other she assured him that her hand was worth \$500 and exposed a ten, jack, queen, king and ace of clubs.

"How far would you have gone?" some one asked her, to which she made answer:

"I shouldn't have thought of stopping under \$5,000, and I am half angry that he didn't give me a chance to bet, it's such glorious fun."-New York

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CARTER'S FOR HEADACHE.

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CURE S L & HEADACHE.

Very small and as easy

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

who is tainted by either will see in the child the same disease manifesting it self in the form of swollen glands of the neck and throat, catarrh, weak eyes, offensive sores and abscesses and oftentimes white swelling—sure signs of Scrofula. There may be no external signs for a long time, for the disease develops slowly in some cases, but the poison is in the in some cases, but the poison is in the blood and will break out at the first favor-

able opportunity. S. S. S. cures this wasting, destructive disease by first purifying and building up the blood and stimulating and invigorating the whole system. J. M. Seals, 115 Public Square, Nashville, Tenn., says; "Ten years ago my daughter fell and cut her forehead. From this wound the glands on the side of her face became swollen and bursted. Some of the best doctors here and elsewhere attended her without any benefit. We decided to try S. S. S., and a few bottles cured her entirely."

makes new and pure blood to nourish and strengthen the body, and is a positive and safe cure for Scrofula, It overcomes all forms of blood poison,

whether inherited or acquired, and no remedy so thoroughly and effectively cleanses the blood. If you have any blood trouble, or your child has inherited some blood taint, take S. S. S. and get the blood in good condition and prevent the disease doing further damage. Send for our free book and write our physicians about your case. We make no charge whatever for medical advice.

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HYPNOTISM BY TELEPHONE.

A CONGRESSMAN

Cured of Catarrh of Long Standing

Ex-Congressman A. T. Goodwyn.

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus,

bottles of Peruna, and am a well man

and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold

lnone day. No cure, No pay. Price 25 cents.

He Wanted a Drink.

Some years ago Colonel Crisp was in

New York, and being in attendance at

a certain notable political gathering in

Madison Square Garden was called up-

on for a speech. And did he accept?

Well, rather! Running his fingers

through his hair, adjusting his vest

and pushing up his coat sleeves, he

harangue he became very warm and

a few moments, and theu "What is

his nostrils quivering with suppressed

rage, "either bring me a bucket and a

gourd or lead me to the branch."-- Kan-

Powder Burns In Shooting Cases.

ously important part before the courts."

upon to determine proximity in myste-

rious shootings, and they have fre

quently settled the question of suicide

or murder where the fact was in doubt.

geon of this city who is now dead to

ascertain for me by practical experi-

ment upon a body in the dissecting

room exactly how far away the ex-

plosion of a pistol would produce burns

and powder marks. He used a .32 cal-

iber revolver and found that the flame

of the discharge made a distinct burn

at a distance of 21/4 feet, and powder

marks were left at a distance of more

"Of course the grains were not actu-

ally Criven into the skin, as they are at

shorter range, but the marks were

clearly discernible and could not be

easily removed. I was surprised at the

result, and it satisfied me that many

erroneous conclusions had been drawn

from such evidence in the past. It is

generally supposed that the weapon

must be held almost against the skin to

leave traces of flame and powder."

Scrofula

THE OFFSPRING

OF HEREDITARY

Scrofula is but a modified form of Blood

Poison and Consumption. The parent who is tainted by either will see in the

BLOOD TAINT.

than two yards.

"I was interested in a case of that

"Powder burns have played a curi-

brought and placed before him.

this?" he thundered.

sas City Independent.

"Gentlemen-I have now used two

A. T. GOODWYN.

Successful Long-Distance Experiment

by a Honolulu Amateur. One of the queerest freaks of hypnotc influence ever recorded is reported from Honolulu, where, according to the Pacific Commercial Advertiser, a subject was put to sleep by a hypnotist who was several blocks away. J. E. Davis plays a typewriter in the office of the attorney general at Honolulu. He is an amateur musician and a prominent member of the Triangle club, which is allied with the Young Men's Christian Association. He is an ardent student of hypnotism.

One evening recently a number of persons gathered in the New England bakery to see the telephone experiment. A youth of 21 years who had been operated on by Davis several times took the telephone receiver in his hand while for his adversary when found appear-Davis spoke to him from an instrument in the Judd building, several blocks distant. A card over the telephone in the bakery had written on it the name of Thomas Williams. As seen and heard Ex-Congressman A. T. Goodwyn, from the Judd building the following from Alabama, writes the following was the procedure. Davis called to the subject-who being well known here does not want his name mentioned-to take the card in his hand.

"What is the name on the card?" he asked.

Then he said: "It's growing dim. The letters are blurred. You can't see them well. Your eyes are closing. You are getting sleepy. You want to sit down. Catarrh in its various forms is rap-You are going fast. See, there you

idly becoming a national curse. An are." undoubted remedy has been discovered Those in the bakery saw the subject by Dr. Hartman. This remedy has take the card in his hand, heard him' been thoroughly tested during the past answer the questions, and finally reel forty years. Prominent men have come others of reverential memory. It was to know of its virtues and are making and fall into the chair, assisted by Mcthe gathering place of the celebrated public utterances on the subject. To Laughlin, Davis' guide in the creepy few illuminative figures. The demands Mermaid club, the origin of which is save the country we must save the science. McLaughlin telephoned to people. To save the people we must Davis that the youth was "gone" and the Davis hastened in a hack to the ease that is at once the most prevalent bakery. There he ordered the subject, and stubborn of cure is catarrh. Pubinto the lanai, where there was more lic men of all parties recognize in Peroom for experiment. The young man runa a national catarrh remedy of untottered along with one hand on Davis' equaled merit. Send to Dr. Hartman. Columbus, Ohio, for a free book on ca- arm and seemed glad to sit down when he reached the spot pointed out to him.

His eyes were closed, but when commanded to open them he did so slowly and stared vacantly ahead. A candle held to his eyes did not cause him to wink nor did a needle passed over the eyeballs bring any signs of feeling. He was like a man drugged. When told to hold out his arms perfectly stiff he obeyed and kept them there for four minutes without evident fatigue. So when made to believe by Davis' persuasive language that he was at a hula he laughed and clapped his hands and seemed pleased. He ambled through a' started in to sprinkle eagle feathers all cakewalk-not being a graceful dancer in his waking hours-and shuffled his, feet when told that he was listening to ragtime music.

The most curious phenomenon of the asked that some water be provided. In experiment was in the startling differcompliance with the request a diminuence between the pulses of the subject. tive pitcher and dainty little glass were Before he submitted to the test the subfect's pulse registered 74. After fif-Colonel Crisp looked at it intently for teen minutes it was 96. Under the direction of Davis and McLaughlin the left pulse went to 99 and at the same "W-w-water," timidly answered one moment the right was 114. Bringing them lower the right was 112 when the "Young man," bellowed the colonel, left was 91.

RECENT INVENTIONS.

A Pennsylvanian has patented an improved coal bag and unloading arrangement, comprising a central sustaining member, surrounded by a bag, which has a gathering cord at the top, the bags being suspended by the stems remarked a New Orleans lawyer who has a large criminal practice. "Their on a wooden support for filling from presence or absence is often depended

Dustless roads can be rapidly made

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Hall's Family Pills are the best. a plurality of dust-stirring tingers, which are adjusted to stir up the earth in the road, a series of pipes extending at the rear of the fingers to sprinkle oil from a reservoir mounted on the machine.

Shoes can be quickly laced by the use of a new attachment, comprising a pair of slotted rigs carried by the edges of the upper, with headed studs set in the slots to slide freely, with a lacing attached to the studs to draw the edges of the upper together as the studs are raised.

An improved automatic safety lock for elevators is formed of two triangular blocks pivoted on top of the car, and held in a folded position by the cable, the breaking of the latter throwing the blocks out and operating two links, which catch in the sides of the well and support the car.

In New York a man has patented a collar button which will save trouble in fastening a stiff collar, the shank We became greatly alarmed and feared of the button being telescopic, with an that her days were already numbered. internal spring which prevents the locks it in a contracted position after he collar is fastened.

A handy tablet for telephones has been patented by an Ohio man, comprising a reel suspended in two brackets at the edge of the battery box, a roll of paper being placed on the reel and held smooth across the top for writing, with a sharp metal strip to sever the sheet after use.

Mowing and reaping machines can be provided with a new whip holder, which is formed of a support attached to the tongue of the machine, carrying a whip socket with a gear wheel at the rear, which meshes with a gear shaft extending in position for the driver te

turn it and operate the whip, A handy adjustable bracket for use on painters' easels has a sleeve to fit around the upright legs of the easel, with an L-shaped arm pivoted in each sleeve to engage notches in the legs when in a lowered position, allowing the sleeve to be raised or lowered when not engaging the notches.

Runaway horses can be brought under control by a new dashboard attachment, which has a base bolted to the dashboard, with a lip pivoted to clamp to rein against the base when pulled from the front, a backward pull releasing it for tightening the reins when a new hold is taken by the driver,

Explained. Mrs. Watson-I broke one of those eggs you sold me into a cup, and the white of it was all green. hens.-Somerville Journal.

Marie Bashkirtseff. Another batch of Marie Bashkirtseff's private thoughts are to be published.

Preparing For a "Dewel."

One of the most remarkable docu ments that have ever come under our observation is to be found in the case of ex parte Scoggin, 6 Tex. App. 546. Mr. Scoggin was under indictment for the murder of one William Gerrard. and an extract from a memorandum book in defendant's handwriting and found near the body ran as follows:

JOHNSON Co., Tx., Jan. 24, 1875. As this may bee the last penciling that I may ever do on earth May heaven Bless me and the man that I am going to fite, for we have been travling to geather some time and have fell outes bought the sum of \$25 and have agreed to fight a dewel this Hustitul night of our lord, and as one of us has to die May heven bless us, as this is the last half hour on earth with one of us, heven Priserve me now and forever. Written by Jesse Scog., Bornd and rased in Tx. Sined by William Jirod, Bornd in Illinois.

-Mr. Scoggin's plety apparently brought victory to him in the "dewel," ed to have been struck behind the ear by a 13 inch shell.-Law Notes.

O'Connell and Massey. Laughter has been fatal to at least

one bill in the house of commons. In the days of O'Connell Thomas Massey, who was a sworn foe to everything that suggested popery, introduced a bill to abolish the suffix "mas" from all words in our language and to substitute "tide," thus converting "Christmas" into "Christtide," and so on.

When he had ended his introductory speech, O'Connell got up and said: "Since the honorable member has such an insuperable objection to the word 'mas' why does he not set a good example by anglicizing his own name? In that case we should be quite willing to speak of him as Thotlde Tidey." The house rolled with appreciative

laughter, and Mr. Massey never recov ered sufficient courage to speak of the bill again.

DON'T GET FOOT SORE, GETFOOT-

A powder. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and uncomfortable. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It rests and comforts; makes walking easy, Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and is a cartain curs of Chilbridge. Sweating certain cure for Chilblains, Sweating, Damp or Frosted feet. We have over 30,000 testimonials. Don't get footsore, get Foot-Ease. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package Free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

She Was Willing.

Young Biffkins-Before you give me your answer, Miss Ethel, I want to tell you that I haven't a penny I can call my own, but my father is quite wealthy, and only yesterday he said our home was sadiy in need of a woman's guiding hand.

Miss Ethel-Well, you might mention to your father that I would not be averse to accepting a position as mother to his only boy.-Chicago News.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it falls to cure

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an indamed condition of the mucous linings of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever: nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness [cause by catarrh] that cannot be cursed by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for cir-

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MISS FLETCHER'S SUCCESS

The Daughter of a Former Governor South Dakota Attains an Enviable

Position

From the Oregon Independent, Salem. Ore. The daughter of Hon. J. H. Fletcher. formerly Governor of South Dakota, but now a resident of Salem, Oregon, has lately attained an env.able position. Her success is remarkable, es- trouble pecially when the fact is known that for some time it was feared her career would be shortened because of Li

Ex-Governor Fletcher, in speaking of the happy event in his daughter's life, said:

"For over two years my daughter been declining from a strong, healthy, rosy-cheeked person to a pale, weakly and helpless girl. She was atflicted with terrible headaches, and gradually grew weaker and more languid, and apparently without cause.

"I tried several doctors, one after shank extending too far out and also the other, but all without avail. Finally, to please a friend, I bought a hox of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and to our surprise, before it was used her headaches ceased the color began to return to her cheeks and lips and her strength began to assert itself. "I bought five boxes more and by the

time she had finished them she was completely restored to her health, and today our hearts are gladdened with the society of a robust, rosy and healthy girl, instead of a pale, tired and sickly one. In her case the transformation was rapid and wonderful. and I can never speak too highly of the splendid merits of Dr. Williams' Pink

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